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MEMORANDUM FOR: Deputy Assistant Director, Special Operations

FROM : Deputy Director Central Intelligence

25X1 SUBJECT : [redacted]

1. Ambassador Cochran, who is a very old friend of mine, dropped in to see me the other day, and after talking about Indonesia, mentioned that an old colleague of his, John

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[redacted] and who was an expert on East-West trade, was retired from the State Department. Cochran thought he might be a useful person to pick up.

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2. I recall [redacted] casually from my Swiss experience and have a favorable impression of him, although I must admit it was somewhat vague and you might find he is too old to take on now. However, it might be worth an investigation.

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